United States District Court Central District of California

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA vs.			Docket No.	2:22-cr-00365-AB					
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		JUDGMENT AND PROBATION	ON/COMMITMENT	ORDER					
		e presence of the attorney for the government, the defen				MONTH 09	DAY 26	YEAR 2024	
COU	VSEL Joshua M. Robbins, retained								
			(Name of Counsel)	_			_		
PL	EA	X GUILTY, and the court being satisfied that there is	s a factual basis for the	e plea.		NOLO TENDER	E	NOT GUILT	
FINI	DING	There being a finding of GUILTY, defendant has been convicted as charged in the Indictment of the offense(s) of:							
		Aiding and Assisting False Tax Return in violation	of 26 U.S.C. § 7206(2) as charg	ged in C	Count One	,		
AND I	MENT PROB/ MM DER	The Court asked whether there was any reason why judgment should not be pronounced. Because no sufficient cause to the contrary was shown, or appeared to the Court, the Court adjudged the defendant guilty as charged and convicted and ordered that: Pursuant to the Sentencing Reform Act of 1984, it is the judgment of the Court that the defendant is hereby committed to the custody of the Bureau of Prisons to be imprisoned for a term of: THREE (3) MONTHS							

It is ordered that the defendant shall pay to the United States a special assessment of \$100, which is due immediately. Any unpaid balance shall be due during the period of imprisonment, at the rate of not less than \$25 per quarter, and pursuant to the Bureau of Prisons' Inmate Financial Responsibility Program.

The defendant is ordered to pay a fine of \$40,000 in this case. The defendat shall pay the fine to the United States. No interest will be assessed on that fine. The defendant shall pay the fine no later than ninety days of the emtry of judgment.

Upon release from imprisonment, the defendant shall be placed on supervised release for a term of one year under the following terms and conditions:

- 1. The defendant shall comply with the rules and regulations of the United States Probation & Pretrial Services Office and Second Amended General Order 20-04, including the conditions of probation and supervised release set forth in Section III of Second Amended General Order 20-04.
- 2. While on supervision, the defendant shall pay the special assessment and fine in accordance with this judgment's orders pertaining to such payment.
- 3. The defendant shall truthfully and timely file and pay taxes owed for the years of conviction and shall truthfully and timely file and pay taxes during the period of community supervision. Further, the defendant shall show proof to the Probation Officer of compliance with this order.
 - 4. The defendant shall cooperate in the collection of a DNA sample from the defendant.
- 5. The defendant shall apply all monies received from income tax refunds, lottery winnings, inheritance, judgments and any other financial gains to the Court-ordered financial obligation.
- 6. The defendant shall not engage, as whole or partial owner, employee or otherwise, in any business or profession that involves tax preparation without the express written approval of the Probation Officer prior to engaging in such employment, business, or profession.

The defendant shall surrender himself On or before January 27, 2025 in the absence ever such designation he shall report on or before that date and time to the U.S. marshal located here in this courthouse located at 350 West 1st Street, Los Angeles, CA 90012.

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The defendant is advised of his rights on appeal.

All remaining counts are dismissed.

The bond is exonerated upon surrender.

In addition to the special conditions of supervision imposed above, it is hereby ordered that the Standard Conditions of Probation and Supervised Release within this judgment be imposed. The Court may change the conditions of supervision, reduce or extend the period of supervision, and at any time during the supervision period or within the maximum period permitted by law, may issue a warrant and revoke supervision for a violation occurring during the supervision period.

October 3, 2024

Date

ANDRÉ BIROTTE JR., U. S. District Judge

It is ordered that the Clerk deliver a copy of this Judgment and Probation/Commitment Order to the U.S. Marshal or other qualified officer.

Clerk, U.S. District Court

October 3, 2024 By Daniel Tamayo
Filed Date Deputy Clerk

The defendant must comply with the standard conditions that have been adopted by this court (set forth below).

STANDARD CONDITIONS OF PROBATION AND SUPERVISED RELEASE

While the defendant is on probation or supervised release pursuant to this judgment:

- 1. The defendant must not commit another federal, state, or local crime;
- 2. The defendant must report to the probation office in the federal judicial district of residence within 72 hours of imposition of a sentence of probation or release from imprisonment, unless otherwise directed by the probation officer;
- 3. The defendant must report to the probation office as instructed by the court or probation officer;
- 4. The defendant must not knowingly leave the judicial district without first receiving the permission of the court or probation officer;
- 5. The defendant must answer truthfully the inquiries of the probation officer, unless legitimately asserting his or her Fifth Amendment right against self-incrimination as to new criminal conduct;
- 6. The defendant must reside at a location approved by the probation officer and must notify the probation officer at least 10 days before any anticipated change or within 72 hours of an unanticipated change in residence or persons living in defendant's residence;
- 7. The defendant must permit the probation officer to contact him or her at any time at home or elsewhere and must permit confiscation of any contraband prohibited by law or the terms of supervision and observed in plain view by the probation officer;
- 8. The defendant must work at a lawful occupation unless excused by the probation officer for schooling, training, or other acceptable reasons and must notify the probation officer at least ten days before any change in employment or within 72 hours of an unanticipated change:

- 9. The defendant must not knowingly associate with any persons engaged in criminal activity and must not knowingly associate with any person convicted of a felony unless granted permission to do so by the probation officer. This condition will not apply to intimate family members, unless the court has completed an individualized review and has determined that the restriction is necessary for protection of the community or rehabilitation;
- 10. The defendant must refrain from excessive use of alcohol and must not purchase, possess, use, distribute, or administer any narcotic or other controlled substance, or any paraphernalia related to such substances, except as prescribed by a physician;
- 11. The defendant must notify the probation officer within 72 hours of being arrested or questioned by a law enforcement officer;
- 12. For felony cases, the defendant must not possess a firearm, ammunition, destructive device, or any other dangerous weapon;
- The defendant must not act or enter into any agreement with a law enforcement agency to act as an informant or source without the permission of the court;
- 14. The defendant must follow the instructions of the probation officer to implement the orders of the court, afford adequate deterrence from criminal conduct, protect the public from further crimes of the defendant; and provide the defendant with needed educational or vocational training, medical care, or other correctional treatment in the most effective manner.

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X The defendant must also comply with the following special conditions (set forth below).

STATUTORY PROVISIONS PERTAINING TO PAYMENT AND COLLECTION OF FINANCIAL SANCTIONS

The defendant must pay interest on a fine or restitution of more than \$2,500, unless the court waives interest or unless the fine or restitution is paid in full before the fifteenth (15th) day after the date of the judgment under 18 U.S.C. § 3612(f)(1). Payments may be subject to penalties for default and delinquency under 18 U.S.C. § 3612(g). Interest and penalties pertaining to restitution, however, are not applicable for offenses completed before April 24, 1996. Assessments, restitution, fines, penalties, and costs must be paid by certified check or money order made payable to "Clerk, U.S. District Court." Each certified check or money order must include the case name and number. Payments must be delivered to:

United States District Court, Central District of California Attn: Fiscal Department 255 East Temple Street, Room 1178 Los Angeles, CA 90012

or such other address as the Court may in future direct.

If all or any portion of a fine or restitution ordered remains unpaid after the termination of supervision, the defendant must pay the balance as directed by the United States Attorney's Office. 18 U.S.C. § 3613.

The defendant must notify the United States Attorney within thirty (30) days of any change in the defendant's mailing address or residence address until all fines, restitution, costs, and special assessments are paid in full. 18 U.S.C. § 3612(b)(l)(F).

The defendant must notify the Court (through the Probation Office) and the United States Attorney of any material change in the defendant's economic circumstances that might affect the defendant's ability to pay a fine or restitution, as required by 18 U.S.C. § 3664(k). The Court may also accept such notification from the government or the victim, and may, on its own motion or that of a party or the victim, adjust the manner of payment of a fine or restitution under 18 U.S.C. § 3664(k). See also 18 U.S.C. § 3572(d)(3) and for probation 18 U.S.C. § 3563(a)(7).

Payments will be applied in the following order:

- 1. Special assessments under 18 U.S.C. § 3013;
- 2. Restitution, in this sequence (under 18 U.S.C. § 3664(i), all nonfederal victims must be paid before the United States is paid):

Non-federal victims (individual and corporate), Providers of compensation to non-federal victims,

The United States as victim;

- 3. Fine;
- 4. Community restitution, under 18 U.S.C. § 3663(c); and
- 5. Other penalties and costs.

CONDITIONS OF PROBATION AND SUPERVISED RELEASE PERTAINING TO FINANCIAL SANCTIONS

As directed by the Probation Officer, the defendant must provide to the Probation Officer: (1) a signed release authorizing credit report inquiries; (2) federal and state income tax returns or a signed release authorizing their disclosure and (3) an accurate financial statement, with supporting documentation as to all assets, income and expenses of the defendant. In addition, the defendant must not apply for any loan or open any line of credit without prior approval of the Probation Officer.

When supervision begins, and at any time thereafter upon request of the Probation Officer, the defendant must produce to the Probation and Pretrial Services Office records of all bank or investments accounts to which the defendant has access, including any business or trust accounts. Thereafter, for the term of supervision, the defendant must notify and receive approval of the Probation Office in advance of opening a new account or modifying or closing an existing one, including adding or deleting signatories; changing the account number or name, address, or other identifying information affiliated with the account; or any other modification. If the Probation Office approves the new account, modification or closing, the defendant must give the Probation Officer all related account records within 10 days of opening, modifying or closing the account. The defendant must not direct or ask anyone else to open or maintain any account on the defendant's behalf.

The defendant must not transfer, sell, give away, or otherwise convey any asset with a fair market value in excess of \$500 without approval of the Probation Officer until all financial obligations imposed by the Court have been satisfied in full.

These conditions are in addition to any other conditions imposed by this judgment.

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I have executed the within Judgment and C	Commitment as follows:					
Defendant delivered on		to				
Defendant noted on appeal on						
Defendant released on						
Mandate issued on						
Defendant's appeal determined on Defendant delivered on		to				
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the institution designated by the Bure	eau of Prisons, with a certified cop	y of the within Judgment and	d Commitment.			
United States Marshal						
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Date	·	Deputy Marshal				
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I hereby attest and certify this date that th legal custody.			ginal on file in my office, and in my			
Clerk, U.S. District Court						
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Filed Date	Deputy Cl	erk				
	FOR U.S. PROBATION OF	FICE USE ONLY				
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These conditions have been read t	o me. I fully understand the condi	tions and have been provided	d a copy of them.			
(Signed)						
Defendant		Date				
U. S. Probation Officer/l	Designated Witness	 Date				